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Happy, Happy, Happy Holidays at Monroe-West Monroe's Christmas on the River

Monroe-West Monroe, LA-The 2013 Christmas on the River Festival is sure to get you “Happy, Happy, Happy” for the Holiday season. Festivities will take place in Monroe-West Monroe, home of the Robertson family, the stars of A&E's hit show *Duck Dynasty*.

Dancing lights and beautiful holiday light displays will fill the downtowns in Monroe-West Monroe. Each weekend is alive with Christmas wonderment. Below is just a sampling of what is in store:

November 30: Opening Weekend

Lighting Ceremony on Antique Alley and Outdoor Holiday Movie

December 7: Festival Weekend

Bah Humbug 5K Run, Bawcomville Redneck Parade, Ouachita Independent Bank Christmas Parade presented by the Kiwanis Club and Fireworks Extravaganza presented by the Downtown Renaissance, live music at the RiverMarket, and ballet performances.

December 14: Commander Christmas and Old-Fashioned weekend

Duck Commander Christmas Flotilla, Rubber Duck Derby, Monroe Symphony Orchestra performance, Old-Fashioned shopping on Antique Alley, and Antique Car Show.

Month-long activities include great shopping, Tree Art Contest viewing, Santa's Christmas Village with ice skating at the NELA Children's Museum, Christmas at the Biedenharn, and more.

For more information and a complete up-to-date list of events, please visit www.christmasontheriver.org or call 318-387-5691.

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